HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 544

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A RESOLUTION to honor of Roy Kelsey and Katherine Kelsey upon the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as exemplars for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, on December 28, 1963, Roy Kelsey and Katherine Kelsey were joined in holy matrimony, and since that fateful day, this outstanding couple has faced the world as one, basking in the glow of their love for each other during both life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, residents of Cleveland, the couple represents an emblem of joy and companionship for both their community and the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, December 28, 2013 marked fifty years of love, devotion, and mutual support that enable Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey to be the strong, loving couple they are and the good friends and caring neighbors they have been to so many others over the years; and

WHEREAS, for fifty years, this blessed union has grown and prospered as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, marriages such as the Kelseys' truly represent the best and brightest of our society, as they remind us of the intrinsic value of continuity and commitment in this ever changing world; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby congratulate Roy and Katherine Kelsey upon the celebration of

their fiftieth wedding anniversary, as we extend to them our warmest wishes for continued happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.